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MASSACHUSETTS ELECTIONS.

A MISSING ESTATE.

THE LIQUOR QUESTION.

DEPUTY MARSHALS.

The Attorney-General Proclaims Rules Governing Agreement with Lot Wright.

A Sterling Review of Democratic Presidential Methods as Shown in Charleston.

Postal Weight's Pass Allowed by Local Officers and Endangers to Fire and the Vote.

THE GROWTH OF METHODISM.

CAPITAL AND LABOR.

What the Workers Pay from Abroad Cannot Compete with the South.

The Building Trades Employers Association Starts Threatening an Strike.

Investigation by the U. L. Case Plow Company Follows the Lead of Robbs Firms.

THE INDUSTRIAL SITUATION.

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FOR CHARITY'S SAKE.

The Fourth Annual Balloon Ball Comes Off on the Eleventy Last Evening.

The Affair for Several Reasons Set in Fashionable as Was Expected.

Description of Some of the Costumes—A List of Those Who Were Present.

The fourth annual balloon charity ball occurred last night at the Eleventy Theatre, and notwithstanding the most extensive arrangements had been made it did not prove to be the social affair expected. The real party that is the most sure of admission—only $5 being charged, which ticket admitted three persons—and party that is the last that so many of the fashionable patrons of this organization have to borrowing. Those invitations had been distributed, but so far as the Eleventy Hall was more than half vacant when the grand march was given.

Extensive ball have been made to decorate the theatre, those patronizing the affair being at the north end of the house under orchestra direction. The galleries had been covered with a blue muslin, with the stage, with the boxes on each of which hung engravings of the Goddess of Liberty, and the boxes on the south side of the stage was made a bank of tropical plants. The latter used the chairs and settees for a background, and the effect was not such as to contribute to the gayety.

The house had occupied by the five of the ten society and the ballroom, found seats to the balcony. A band of eighty played selections throughout the evening, and the dancing was kept up until 4 o'clock this morning. The affair was given under the auspices of the Chicago Club, a military organization composed of young men who occupied various social and business positions in connecting the theatre with the organization. The grand promenade began at 11:30, and from that time till 2 o'clock the dancing floors were crowded with a gay throng, while the promenade was also well filled. The gentlemen in evening costumes, with young ladies and matrons in handsome dresses, made a brilliant scene, and the grand march, led by Capt. Charles Gardner and Miss Lillian Hall, was a pretty sight. The grand march was led by the officers of the club, and formed in the following order: Capt. Charles Gardner and Miss Lillian Hall, Lieut. Frank Gardner and Miss Ida Hall, Lieut. Frank Gardner and Miss Ida Hall, Lieut. Frank Gardner and Miss Ida

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WADE HAMPTON has been selected Senator from South Carolina.

THE RIGHT HON. JOSEPH WINTER CHAMBERLAIN, a Conservative of England, is dead.

LORD PAUNCEFOTE, the new Viceroy of India, has been well received at Bombay.

IT IS ANOTHER INSTANCE with us toward the week in list of patents issued to Northwestern inventors.

VICTOR TRUMPER, Boston blacksmith of the Journal, has been transferred to death by the Britishers.

HARRISON ASHCROFT'S daughter was married yesterday to Frederick W. Whitridge of New York.

FIRE entirely destroyed the Village of Trenton, Pa., yesterday. Six persons were burned to death.

LABOR OFFICE have been made to discharge on the Tribune statement, who is now out of prison on bright bail.

AN INVESTMENT for an imperial mobile is to permit visits by the Tariff Committee of the French Chamber of Deputies.

AN AWARD has been issued by the Trade and Labor Assembly of Chicago for assistance in behalf of the Sterling Valley miners.

IT IS THOUGHT in Democratic circles at Washington that Senator Bryant has been elected the portfolio of the State Department.

PARLIAMENT will not be asked to grant an allowance for the Prince of Wales' eldest son, Albert Victor, until the young man marries.

LOSSES from the gale of New York day by the week ended yesterday, exclusive of repairs, were $8,000,000, an increase of $2,750,000 over the week before.

CONGRESS in the Boston treaty seems to have gotten enough in the House of Representatives over the publication of the terms of the proposed treaty with Russia.

PRESIDENT of Haiti has been passed on London upon Cape Dudley and the name of the wife of Louis Edmonds, who killed the boy Rafael de Soul. A pardon is expected.

SENATOR BLACK thinks that the Colonel Teddy's Figurine, to be built in Chicago next year, will be a great thing for the men, and that it is the duty of the Government to help the enterprise along.

IT SEEMS to be the general impression that the investigation of the Police grand jury committee, the Democrat, "Fred Jones fraud is practically ended. All the evidence is supposed to be in, and tomorrow's session will probably be devoted to the consideration of indictments.

THE MARKET letter reads yesterday made the passenger rate to Grand Rapids the same as to Kansas City—namely, $10.50 for the round trip—and the Minneapolis rate $15.00 for the round trip. Last Sunday's rate to Minneapolis was $15.00 for unlimited return.

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FOUR QUARTERS

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Gladstone Not Over Modifications in Lobby Conference.

Bill of the Dane to Amazon Railway Sanction in Great Britain.

Dr. Koch's Lymphin Removed to Ambulance Wagon in Temple at the Infantry.

THE CHILD LETTER

THE FRENCH-CHINESE WAR.

FRANCE.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Gladstone's Own Views.

IRELAND.

THE CONGO CONFERENCE.

BELGIUM.

THE SUEZ CANAL QUESTION.

GERMANY.

AUSTRIA.

RUSSIA.

SPAIN.

THE PAPAL CONCLAVE.

WHITEWASHING SALVATION.

Will Reform Unlimiting the Trade in the Slums Profit—Miss Booth Denies the Accusation.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Annual Reunion of Directors of Internal Revenue Employés.

GREAT OPPORTUNITY

As we are about to move to our New Store, we will now offer our ENTIRE STOCK at reductions from the marked price of from 15 to 40 per cent.

We are determined to sell three-quarters of our stock AT A LOSS rather than run the risk of moving it.

Ornaments of all kinds and Fancy Goods at RIDICULOUSLY LOW PRICES.

Rich Cut and Engraved Glass 15 per cent discount.

Dinner, Tea, Fish, Game, Soup, and all Course Sets at 15 per cent discount.

We advise an early examination.

OVINGTONS,
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CATARRH Head & Lung

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Every quotation in this advertisement of special interest to

HOLIDAY PURCHASERS.

Silks & Velvets.

800 PIECES

All Cash Silks, Velvets, and Satin Stripes in Shades Gris, Ottoman, Myrtle, Regret Blue, Marine, Beige, Golden Brown, Seal Brown, Myrtle, Olive, Reseda, Drab, Navy, and Tuscan; superb quality; guaranteed to retail at $2.50 per yard. The entire lot will be sacrificed at

$1.00 per Yard.

In Paris and Lyons this is the leading article for this and the coming season's trade, and at the price named is one of the greatest Bargains ever offered.

OUR GREAT SALE
of
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is continued. A great assortment is still being offered. The price to-day will be

$2.00 and $3.00 per Yard.

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Our Richest Quality of

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Regular $2.00 and $2.50 Goods, is offered at

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40 Pieces 20-Inch All-Silk

Lyons Dress Velvets,

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Reduced from $3.00

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Astonishingly Low Prices.

Real Duchesse Handkerchiefs at $5.00; worth at least $8.00.

Real Duchesse Handkerchiefs at $3.50, worth at least $4.50.

Real Duchesse Collars at $2.00; good value for $3.00 and $4.00.

Real Duchesse Laces, 2½ & 3 in wide, $1.50; well worth $2.50.
$2.00; well worth $3.00.
$2.50; well worth $4.00.

Real Applique Search at $1.00; original price $4.00.

Oriental and Mull Ties at 12 and 25c; former prices 25c and $1.00.

Oriental and Mull Ties at 50c; former prices $1.00 and $1.75.

Real Duchesse Search at $1.00; worth $2.00 and $3.00.

Chenille Fichus, Search, Colors, etc. at ONE-HALF VALUE.

NECKWEAR

DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' French Real's Collars at 15c; immense sold for 30c.

Children's Lace and Real's Collars at 25c; worth 50 and 75c.

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Bandings and Skirt Flutings to all the Latest Novelties, at extremely reasonable prices.

These bargains, in connection with our extraordinary

REAL LACES,

on which we continue to give a discount of

25 Per Cent

from prices that have already been reduced below cost of importation, must take us by

MOST IMPORTANT SALE
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Cloaks.

Important Reductions!

Silk Matelasse Newmarkets, $25; worth $35.

Silk Matelasse Newmarkets, $27; worth $38.

Silk Ottoman Brocade, Beaver Collar and Cuffs, $30; worth $45.

Matelasse Brocade, Tailor-Made, $27; worth $50.

The above goods are place as are quite at less than the material can be bought for the cash, cause, regardless of the interest involved.

Tailor-Made Beaver and Diagonal Cloth Newmarkets, $15; former price, $25.

Tailor-Made Beaver and Diagonal Cloth Newmarkets, $18; former price, $25.

"Tuberon," in Black and Brown, Satin-Faced, $20; former price, $28.

Silk-Lined Ottoman Silk Circulars, Fur Edge, Fur Collar, $19; former price, $28.

Silk-Lined Ottoman Silk Circulars, two-inch Fur Trimming, with Fur Collar, $27; former price, $40.

Black Matelasse, Silk-Lined, Fur Trimming and Collar, $27; former price, $45.

Hamster and Squirrel-Lined Corded Silk Circulars, Fur-Trimmed, with Fur Collar, $25; former price, $45.

The above goods are the greatest bargains ever offered to a Chicago public, and our customers are requested to give us an early call to secure first choice.

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Our stock of Fine Fur Garments, many of them only manufactured within a few weeks from the selected skins, and made with extra care by our furriers on our own premises, are now offered at a large reduction, in many cases much below original cost. The assortment comprises:

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Seal Newmarkets.

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Mink Circulars.

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SELECTED SKINS, VERY FINE.

These goods are all of the latest class and highest grade, and we have confidence in stating that quality considered, as much bargains can be found elsewhere.

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IMPORTANT SALE OF

ORIENTAL

AND OTHER

FOREIGN RUGS.

WE HAVE OPENED THE

RESERVE STOCK

of our fine collection of the above goods in a Grand Clearing Sale at unprecedentedly low prices.

Those who have lately made purchases of Rugs from us will understand the significance of this notice. Those who come early or have to secure some of the choice bargains now presented with a new CERTAIN.

The stock is mainly of recent importation, and, having come very cheap and our assortment of

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Goods of various sizes, and useful for handsome presentation as

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NATIONAL AFFAIRS.

Expenditure of Rebel Prisoners, Deserters, and Refugees for the Spanish Treaty.

The Inter-State Commerce Commission Ask for the Grand Jury's Rejection.

Land-Grant Forfeiture Bills to Be Pushed—Relief that Repeal Will Be Late for Cabinet.

COMMERCIAL TREATIES.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6.—[Special.]—Representatives of the sugar-importing and refining industries of the United States, as well as Louisiana sugar-planters, are very anxious in connection with the ratification and carrying into effect of the proposed commercial treaty with Cuba, for a representative of the sugar-refining industry to be appointed as one of the delegates to the Spanish Treaty Commission.

Among the facts that ought to be taken into consideration by the Senate before acting upon the treaty is that, as Cuba and Porto Rico produce upward of two-thirds of the entire sugar consumed in the United States, the existence, free of duty, of sugar and molasses from the Spanish West Indies will not be favorable to extensive investments. That every will, of course, benefit the importers in this country who have sugar-plantations in Cuba and Porto Rico, as it will also greatly benefit manufacturers and the laborers who are employed in the sugar-refining industry in those islands. It will also benefit largely American shipowners and seamen who have contracts with sugar-growers in the islands exporting sugar to ports of this country. They now possess slightly over the price of sugar in order to compensate importers and others who have their capital tied up therein, while, on the other hand, the consumers of sugar in the United States, the refiners in ports of entry, and the owners of the sugar-producing industry in Cuba and Porto Rico, will be the principal beneficiaries. Cuba and Porto Rico produce more than one-half of the sugar consumed in the United States, the refineries in ports of entry supply the demand for consumption in the United States, the refineries in ports of entry supply the demand for consumption in the United States, the refineries in ports of entry supply the demand for consumption

THE CITY.

PERSONAL.

Paul Anton, the English jerker, is at the Palmer.

Congressman Ralph Plumb, Streator, Ill., is at the Sherman.

The Marquis de Rissy and wife, St. Paul, are guests at the Leland.

Councilman H. W. Elkins, St. Paul, and Daniel Dougherty, Philadelphia, are at the Palmer.

Capt. W. S. Dougherty, Lieut. G. J. Sheets, and Lieut. John McGonigle, U. S. A., are at the Leland.

Sidebotham Blaine, President of the Board of Trade, leaves today for Louisville to attend a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Western Commercial Convention, of which organization he is President.

Joseph and Philip Gerson, Mr. Cahill, W. Harvey, James Caldwell, Richard Harwood, S. S. Leach, and Dr. Long, all prominent men in the provision trade in Baltimore, were the Tuesday in the city connection.

Senator Jno. W. Cockrell, Vave Smith, Ind.; Congressmen William Pitt Kellogg, Miss Holmes, Judge T. M. Cooley, ex-Gov. Alger, Mich.; and John C. Spooner, Madison, Wis., registered at the Pacific yesterday.

IN GENERAL.

It was L. L. Wilcox, not L. L. Winters, who was nominated for Sheriff of the Union Veteran Club.

The jury in the case of Samuel Summers, who killed Patrolman Gregory, returned a verdict of not guilty in Judge Tuley's court yesterday.

The Directors Union have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, John Kinsella; Lieutenant-Colonel, Hans J. Pratt; Major, Thomas O'Connor; Regimental Major, Dr. F. H. Graves.

Edward Roberts, a young colored man who stabbed one with his knife on Fourth avenue the 29 inst., plead guilty to Judge Tuley's court yesterday. He was remanded until the morning when he will be sentenced.

The Chicago Academy of Sciences was addressed last evening by Prof. George Joseph on "The Fossil Jaylus." Prof. J. W. Long of the Chicago Medical College opened up a general exploration of the shores from Evanston Park.

The temperature yesterday, as observed by Hasbrouck, optician, No. 48 Madison street, Times Building, was as follows: 7 a. m., 30° above zero; 9 a. m., 30°; 11 a. m., 30°; 1 p. m., 30°; 3 p. m., 30°; 5 p. m., 30°; 7 p. m., 30°; 9 p. m., 30°; 11 p. m., 30°. Barometer, 7 a. m., 30.70.

Yesterday the widow and twenty-one heirs of Jacob Gantz met in the Coroner's office and signed papers releasing the Chicago City Railway Company from all claims for damages on account of the killing of Gantz by a car. The amount paid was $5,000, and the papers will be filed in the Circuit Court today.

Application will be made to the Legislature for a charter to the Fidelities and Casualties Company of New York. The capital stock is $500,000, and the company proposes to transact a fidelity and casualty business. The incorporators are Edward Learned, Jr., Frederick Cromwell, Jr., and Edward Learned, all of New York.

William Fahey, desk-sergeant at the West Chicago avenue Police Station, was arrested yesterday and taken before Justice Lyon to answer to the charge of the case of Martin Farrell, the complainant, stating that Fahey struck Farrell with a club, causing the latter's death. The case was continued until Dec. 15.

At the concentration held Dec. 8 at the Hall of Fraternal Lodge, No. 275, A. F. & A. M., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: C. E. Hamlin, W. M.; L. Kendall, S. W.; J. Sperry, J. W.; E. D. Cooper, Treasurer; Charles Hall, Secretary.

Last Sunday afternoon Frank Lewis and one Dan Dolan got the drop of a hack-driver in the rear door of No. 64 West Randolph street. No one caught and held to the former men Lewis to bonds of $1,000. Dolan, who is the real man, though the last report would put the two men, Mr. Van Sweringen from the house of sleeping Beauty, etc., succeeded in escaping.

Justice Foote says that politicians must not promise no sureties. When Charles Smith was brought before the township charged with injuring the Justice desk. "You won't make a man and a fool swear. I must shoot you to several angry lawyers in the room to Judge. Officers should not promise what they cannot do, or they shall have out of the constables."

The Rev. David Dougherty lectured at the Central Music Hall last evening on "Love and Courtesy." He spoke sensibly and should be heard, and was listened to with considerable attention. The audience was not large, and certainly things the orchestra could and ought to. The Rev. Mr. Dougherty was chosen agricultural with a few more listeners, but the effort deserved the success.

A large portion of the south wall of the Third Congregation Church was blown to the ground last Monday night. The damage is estimated at about $500. The fallen portion is about the basement entrance window and the upper part of the long window. The workmen will not commence repair work on the church, so that will be about after the next conference is held concluded.

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An advertisement will be published by Commissioner Ingersoll today for bids for the repair of the Ashland bridge. The Building Department is improving for the last on the west side of the river, of which about half the floor of long piles is to be taken up, and a new floor laid in the center of the width. If the work proceeds in satisfactory manner it will be completed before the bridge will be made to turn from the main stream. It will be an easier thing than the Halsted bridge or the Stanford will permit.

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ALL GOOD'S OFFICES.

"We have come to thank God for our glorious success," said Maj. Cole at the Park Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church last evening. "We are thank God!" The service meetings that have been in progress at that church for the last two weeks have been productive of good results if an increased church-roll and a growing interest can be taken as evidence. The church is crowded every night, and over fifty persons were at the last meeting. The subject that occupied the attention and interested the audience last evening was "Christian Perfection." The subject that occupied the attention and interested the audience last evening was "Christian Perfection." The subject that occupied the attention and interested the audience last evening was "Christian Perfection."

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"We have come to thank God for our glorious success," said Maj. Cole at the Park Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church last evening. "We are thank God!" The service meetings that have been in progress at that church for the last two weeks have been productive of good results if an increased church-roll and a growing interest can be taken as evidence. The church is crowded every night, and over fifty persons were at the last meeting. The subject that occupied the attention and interested the audience last evening was "Christian Perfection." The subject that occupied the attention and interested the audience last evening was "Christian Perfection." The subject that occupied the attention and interested the audience last evening was "Christian Perfection."

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MONETARY.

Clearings at the principal cities of the United States (including only a week last year):

New York		
Chicago, 47 per.		
Boston, 104 per.		
St. Louis, 106 per.		
Cincinnati, 106 per.		
San Francisco, 87 per.		

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There was no relief to the failures in the least degree yesterday, but about the ordinary run of similar business in proportion to the size the firms began to fail and mark the beginning. But as many persons expected more after the opening of the new year. The management of currency in the country was above the usual average, a large proportion of it going to the big districts, and the country was much. Bankers no longer were free to pay. Prompt bills were every as a collection to price, the premium being a failure.

The sales of investment securities made a fair total, though the transactions did not cover a large variety of issues. Government was in demand on the Chicago Stock Exchange at 111, at which price $1,000 changed hands. Special was sold at 104 and $1,000 at 91. Other miscellaneous were: $1,000 North Chicago Railway 1st at 101, $10,000 Board of Trade 7s at 97½, $1,000 Chicago & Northwestern sinking fund 6s at 100½, $1,000 Chicago & Pacific Extension 6s at 101½, $1,000 City Railway 1st 6s at 104, $1,000 at 104, and $1,000 at 104½, sold at 104. Other miscellaneous were: $1,000 North Chicago Railway 1st 6s at 101, $10,000 Board of Trade 7s at 97½, $1,000 United States 6s at 118½, $5,000 at 118½, $1,000 Cook County 7s at 104½, $1,000 Cook County 7s at 104½, $1,000 Commercial Insurance 6s at 104, $1,000 Chicago & Pacific Extension 6s at 101½, $1,000 Chicago & Pacific Extension 6s at 101½, $1,000 Chicago & Pacific Extension 6s at 101½

NORTHWEST NEWS.

Mass-Meeting of Bismarck-Church Advocates—Villainies Charged of Miss Crimmins.

Two Celebrated Michigan Libel Suits Compromised—The Crouch Trial—A Millionaire's Death.

Backbite of a Supper-Saloon Feud After—Sun Trinity Assault—Fatal Railway Accident.

ILLINOIS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

Quincy, Ill., Dec. 9.—[Special.]—A mass-meeting will be held in this city tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of devising measures for insuring, if possible, the passage of the Bismarck-Church bill. The meeting is called by the Rev. Ralph Floyd, Superintendent.

Carriage of Consumptives.

Rockford, Ill., Dec. 9.—[Special.]—Two ladies, aged 27 and 31, of a family consumptive family in this city, have been confined to a private office at Troy, Ohio, for over a week with contagious typhoid. Their parents are dead, and they have been making a living by sewing. They have stubbornly refused their assistance on suspicion of burglary and thieving are out. Their father is a locksmith, and they carried a number of curious keys about their persons, which were added to the suspicion. They were granted but a term of an investigation and thrown into jail, charged with burglary. The relatives and friends are greatly enraged. An attempt started to have relief today ended with offers of punishment should be in their interests. Suits for false imprisonment are threatened.

Agricultural Convention.

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Death of a Millionaire.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 9.—[Special.]—Mrs. Caleb Cushing, wife of the well-known Chicago millionaire, died at her residence on Prairie avenue this morning, after a long illness. Mr. Cushing is a native of Massachusetts, and has been a resident of Chicago for many years. He is a member of the Board of Trade, and is also interested in many other business enterprises. He is a prominent member of the Unitarian Church, and was a warm friend of the late Rev. Robert Collyer. The funeral will probably take place on Friday.

Fatal Railway Accident.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 9.—[Special.]—While Conductor Cook, of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway, was coupling cars in the yards at Wilmot, Wis., this morning, he was caught between the bumpers and crushed to death. He was thirty-five years old, and leaves a wife and family in this city.

Fatal Shooting Affray.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 9.—[Special.]—Mike Cahalan, who lives on the corner of Halsted and Twelfth streets, this morning shot and killed Thomas Dunn, who lives on the same corner. Cahalan claims that Dunn struck him with a club, and that he shot in self-defense. Dunn was a saloon-keeper, and Cahalan is employed in the Chicago and Northwestern Railway shops. Cahalan was arrested.

Fatal Fight Between Brothers.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 9.—[Special.]—Peter Gallagher, aged 17 and 19, of a highly respectable family in this city, have been confined in a private office at Troy, Ohio, for over a week with contagious typhoid. Their parents are dead, and they have been making a living by sewing. They have stubbornly refused their assistance on suspicion of burglary and thieving are out. Their father is a locksmith, and they carried a number of curious keys about their persons, which were added to the suspicion. They were granted but a term of an investigation and thrown into jail, charged with burglary. The relatives and friends are greatly enraged. An attempt started to have relief today ended with offers of punishment should be in their interests. Suits for false imprisonment are threatened.

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